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Title:

AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION CONTROL SYSTEM

FOR AN AUTOMOBILE

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box Non-Fee Amendment

February 4, 2000

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please enter the following amendments to the claims prior to the examination of the application.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel all of the claims presently in the application and substitute new claims 12-14 as follows:

--12. Control system for an automatic transmission with torque converter comprising:

first input to que estimating unit for estimating an input-torque of said automatic transmission using an engine torque characteristic;

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